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Robert Ganley			Group Art Unit: 3732					
Application No.: 10/799,513			Examiner: Patrick J. Kilkenny					
Filing Date: March 12, 2004			Confirmation No.: 2375					
Title:	ABUTMENT WITH SHADED) MATCHED CUFF FOR TOOTH) IMPLANT (As Amended))							
AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER								
P.O. E	nissioner for Patents Box 1450 ndria, VA 22313-1450							
Sir:								
Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.								
\boxtimes	A Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed.							
	Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the \$\sum \$\\$65 \$\sum \$\\$130 fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. \§ 1.20(d) are enclosed.							
	Also enclosed is/are:							
	Small entity status is hereby claimed.							
	Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the \$\square\$ \$ 395 \$\square\$ \$ 790 fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).							
	Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments <u>not</u> be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above.							
	Applicant(s) previously submittedcontinued examination is requested.		on for which					
	Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.							
	A Request for Entry and Consideration of S (1809/2809) is also enclosed.	Sub	omission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a)					

\boxtimes	No additional claim fee is required.
	An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

		AMENDE	D CLAIMS			
	No. of Claims	Highest No. of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Additio	nal Fee
Total Claims	0	20	0	x \$ 50 (1202)	\$	0
Independent Claims	0	3	0	x \$ 200 (1201)		0
☐ If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$ 360 (1203)						0
Total Claim Amendment Fee						0
☐ Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee						0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						0

	Charge	to Deposit Account No. 02-48	00 for the fee due.
	A check in the amount of	is enclosed	for the fee due.
	Charge	to credit card for the fee due.	Form PTO-2038 is attached.
\boxtimes	37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 a	thorized to charge any approp and 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may b at, to Deposit Account No. 02-4	be required by this paper, and

Respectfully submitted,

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